

Bern, Switzerland,

24 June 1868.

My dear Sir

Your most obliging note of the 2nd Inst^l has reached me at this place where I am spending a few days with my friend D^r. Flückiger, while on my way homeward from Italy.

I have written to D^r. Planchon (to whom I have recently paid a short visit) informing him of the specimens of Planera which are on their way to England, and which I am sure he will receive with great satisfaction, as he has hitherto had none at his disposal.

Many thanks to you for the promise

of specimens of Zanthoxiza and of
aristolochia Serpentaria. About the
latter I may probably have to write to
you again, as my friend Dr. Flückiger
has been pointing out to me that there
are two forms of the drug Serpentaria
found in commerce, — the one called Texan
having radical fibres much smaller in
diameter, more numerous and tufted than
the other.

Dr. F. and I have also been discussing
the question whether the prostrate northern
form of your Juniperus Virginiana (var.
humilis Hook.) can be regarded as
identical with the J. Sabina of

the alps? — Dr. Flückiger
is preparing materials for a pharmaco-
= logical work in the English language,
and I am happy to render him some
small services as collaborateur.

Believe me to remain, my dear
sir,

Yours very sincerely
Sanbury

Professor Wm Gray